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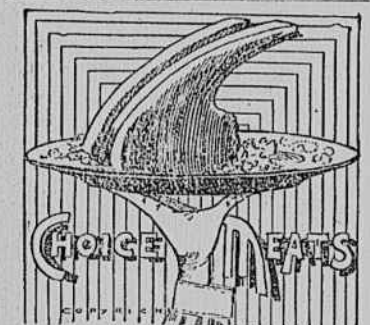
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Notes of Cases Recently Decided,

Which are of Interest to

Our People.

STATE V. GALLOP.

Supreme Court of North Carolina, February 20, 1900.

THE LAW MAKING IT A MISDEMEANOR FOR ANY PERSON EMPLOYED FOR THE PURPOSE TO SAIL AROUND OR STOP NEAR A CITIZEN WHO IS GUNNING OR FISHING IN CURRITUCK SOUND AND TRIBUTARIES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DAMAGING SUCH SHOOTING OR FISHING, IS VALID.

Gallop was convicted of a misdemeanor and appealed.

The case appears from the opinion of the court.

The evidence is that the decoy, where the ducks were invited and expected to alight, were "tied out in the sound."

But, even had they been in the "lead," that, according to the evidence, would have been one of the "tributaries of the sound," within the language of the act.

The sole question, then, is as to the constitutionality of the act under which the defendant, employed by the adjacent landowners for the purpose of interfering with duck hunting by others on the sound or one of its tributaries on the water front opposite their land, is indicted for preventing duck hunting there by the prosecutor.

The evidence states that the boat of the defendant was "not on the club's property," so the prosecutor, who was still further out, was not a trespasser, and liable as such; but, had he been himself liable to indictment for trespassing, that would have been no defense to the defendant for acts avowedly done for the purpose of interfering with the prosecutor's hunting upon "the sound or one of its tributaries," and not merely to procure his removal from premises on which he was trespassing.

The defendant left his sail fluttering so no ducks would come, and said he was employed to do it. The shooting club, which employed the defendant for the purpose of breaking up or discouraging duck hunting on the sound and its tributaries on their water front, it was stated on the argument, bought the land for the purpose of enjoying such hunting themselves, and doubtless deem it a hardship that they can not keep off others. The ownership of game is in the people of the State, and the Legislature may withhold or grant to individuals the right to hunt and kill game, or qualify or restrict it, as in its opinion will best subserve the public welfare. No one has property in animals and fowls, denominated "game," until they are reduced to possession.

The shooting club owned the adjacent shore, but they could have no property rights in the wild ducks, which came like the wind, whence they would, and went where they listed.

The landowners had no right to prevent their settling in the sound to the lure of the prosecutor's decoys, and the statute made it a misdemeanor to prevent them.

At common law, title to game was in the king (with us now, in the sovereign people), and no one could hunt game, even on his own land, without a franchise from the sovereign. Wild game within a State belongs to its people in their collective sovereign capacity. It is not the subject of private ownership except when some express statute confers it. With us, landholders can keep others from hunting on their land, not by virtue of their ownership of the game, but from their rights to keep trespassers off the land, or by express statutory enactment. The Legislature has constantly asserted the State's sovereignty by prohibiting the owners of land, equally with others, from hunting or fishing at certain seasons, or by certain methods, or for a certain number of years, and as to some animals or fowls at any time.

The Legislature was within its power when it forbade any one to interfere with "any citizen gunning or fishing in Currituck Sound or its tributaries, to prevent them from shooting," etc. Affirmed.

TEXAS C. & F. CO. V. ARENSTEIN.

Court of Civil Appeals of Texas, January 27, 1900.

IT IS ERROR TO INSTRUCT THE JURY THAT AN ASSAULT BECOMES AGGRAVATED IF IT IS MADE BY A MALE UPON A FEMALE, SINCE SUCH A STATEMENT MAY CAUSE THE JURY TO FIND MORE THAN ACTUAL DAMAGES.

This was an action for damages caused by an assault made upon the plaintiff's wife by an agent of the defendant. From a judgment against defendant company it appealed.

The court says:

The court in its charge, after the definition of an assault and battery, gave the further instruction that "an assault or an assault and battery becomes aggravated when committed by an adult male person upon the person of a female," in which we are of opinion that there was error as assigned.

The issue of exemplary damages made by the petition was abandoned. Appellee's right to recovery, therefore, was limited to actual damage, and the charge given embodies the definition of an aggravated assault and battery as given in our Criminal Code, but every such classification of acts defined as criminal is evidently intended, among other things, to relate to the quantum of punishment to be administered, and, in our judgment is inapplicable to a civil action for actual damage. In a civil action for such damages the aggravated party may recover damages that are the proximate result of the illegal act or acts, if any, regardless of the classification given thereto in the realm of crime, and we think in such case it is error to instruct the jury, in effect, that such act or acts, not only give a right to recovery, but also constitute a crime against the Penal Code of this State. No justification of such assault was attempted, and the effect of the charge was to give additional force to the facts, in that they were told that the

assault committed was an aggravated one; the tendency of which would be to enlarge the amount of damages in the event the jury found appellant company liable therefor. Reversed.

DIVINE SERVICES SUNDAY.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Epworth, corner Freemason and Boush streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. Coke Smith, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Cumberland, between Holt and Cove streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. H. E. Johnson, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Queen, corner of Pulaski and Queen streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. S. C. Hatcher, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

McKendree, corner of Clay and Claiborne avenues, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Proctor, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Trinity, corner Maltby and Corporel avenues, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. George Wesley Jones, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Huntersville, Johnson avenue—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Daniel T. Merritt, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

McKendree Mission, East Brambleton—Sunday school at 3 p. m.

LeKies Memorial, corner Camp avenue and Fort streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Graham H. Lambeth, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Centenary, corner Boush and Queen streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. M. Chandler, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

Park Place Mission—Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Daniel T. Merritt at 4 p. m.

Lambert's Point, Bowden's Ferry road—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. John W. Carroll, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Church street, between Holt and Cove—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Edward Mack, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Westminster League prayer meeting at 7:15 p. m.

Second, Freemason, near Boush street—Preaching by Rev. Givens B. Strickler, D. D., of Union Theological Seminary, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At 3:30 the pastor-elect, Rev. J. Ernest Thacker, will be installed. Dr. Strickler preaching the sermon.

Park avenue, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. B. McCluer, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Colley Memorial, Atlantic City—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Maxwell, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Lambert's Point, Shenandoah avenue—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. D. Gilkerson, at 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Park Place—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Lawson, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN.

Memorial Temple, corner Cooke and Tunstall avenues, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Barrett, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

LUTHERAN.

First Church, Charlotte, between Granby and Brewer streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Shenk, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Freemason, between Brewer and Bank streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Ben C. Herr, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Revival services at night. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

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First Church, Library building, corner Granby street and College Place—Services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8 p. m.

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It was another case of "repeat the

story o'er and o'er," and each of the candidates made his bow, spoke and retired, amid applause generously bestowed. There was one lively exception, and that was Mr. Pettis, who represented the Mayor, and who, when he rose to offer His Honor's apologies for his absence, was pretty nearly shouted down. Pretty nearly, but not quite, for the High Constable got on his mettle and denounced the interruption, which was produced by outsiders and not members of the club, who have the well earned reputation of uniform courtesy and kindness to opponent as well as to friend.

The candidates' speeches were interspersed with songs by the Clipper and Diamond Quartets, and by Messrs. Seadinger and Parsons, all eliciting hearty applause.

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